

Table S1: Summary statistics (median and IQR; 100 simulated studies) for WQS with equal correlation with Y of either 0.1 or 0.2 for 5 selected chemicals (Table 1 and Figure 3). Case A: observed correlation pattern among the chemicals and correlation of 0.1 for 5 selected chemicals with Y; Case B: observed correlation diminished by half and correlation of 0.2 for 5 selected chemicals with Y. A selection threshold of 0.05 was used.

Method	Case A		Case B	
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TRUTH	5	0	5	0
WQS regression (with bootstrap step; signal function: relative test statistic)	3 (3,4)	1 (1, 2)	4 (3,5)	0 (0,1)